

REMARKS

Claims 1-30 are pending in the present application.

The Examiner has required election in the present application between:

Group I, claims 1-10, drawn to peripheral monitoring/status updating, classified in class 710 subclass 15/19.

Group II, claims 11-30, drawn to computer to computer data routing, classified in class 709 subclass 238.

For the purpose of examination of the present application, Applicants elect, with traverse, Group I, Claims 1-10.

It is respectfully submitted that the Groups as indicated by the Examiner would not constitute a serious burden to the Examiner during examination. Applicants, therefore, respectfully request that the Restriction Requirement be withdrawn and all claims examined on their merits.

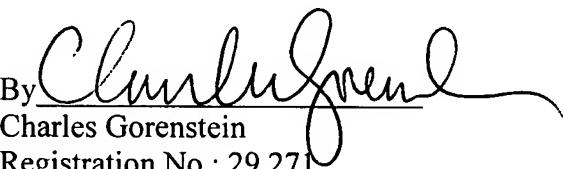
Should there be any outstanding matters that need to be resolved in the present application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Charles Gorenstein, Registration No. 29,271 at the telephone number of the undersigned below, to conduct an interview in an effort to expedite prosecution in connection with the present application.

- Attached is a Petition for Extension of Time.
- Attached hereto is the fee transmittal listing the required fees.

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

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Respectfully submitted,

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